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REMARKS

Claims 1 - 3, 5 - 7, 9 - 16, 19 and 21 - 31 remain pending in the application and are rejected. Claims 4, 8 and 18 are previously canceled. Claims 1, 9 and 28 - 31 are amended herein. No new matter is added.

Claims 1 - 3, 5 - 7, 9 - 16, 19 and 21 - 31 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112 for various informalities in claims 1, 9 and 28 - 31. Responsive thereto, claims 1, 9, 28, 30 and 31 are amended as directed by the Office action. Further, claim 29 is amended substantially as directed by the Office action; except, applicants could not find "the respective base station" and found two instances of "the respective ones," neither of which appeared to be located where the Office action indicated. Applicants did, however, find "one of said respective base station" in line 14. Accordingly, believing this to be source of the complaint with regard to line 15, the applicants amended line 14 to recite "of a respective base station" in line with the requirements indicated by the Office action. Further, the applicants amended the first instance of "the respective ones," as directed by the Office action; and deleted the second, which appeared to be redundant. Therefore, by this amendment, all claims are definite under 35 U.S.C. §112. Further, there being no outstanding substantive rejections, all claims are allowable.

Believing the amendment to place the application in condition for allowance, the applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw the rejection of claims 1 - 3, 5 - 7, 9 - 16, 19 and 21 - 31 under 35 U.S.C. §112 and allow the application to issue.

CONCLUSION

Although this Amendment is being timely filed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required for this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2179.

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